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## Chief Justice Knights

(Special to The Chronicle)  
Chief Justice Charles E. Sturges, until recently Minister of Justice in the Laurier Cabinet and Chief Justice of Quebec, was styled for Knights-hood on Victoria Day.

## Morse May Retire

(Special to The Chronicle)  
Friction Between General Manager of Grand Trunk Pacific and Contractors.

## The Stork at Madrid

(Special to The Chronicle)  
Madrid, May 10.—The Queen of Spain, grand daughter of King Edward VII, gave birth to a son this morning.

## Will Treble in Value

(Special to The Chronicle)  
Winnipeg, May 10.—A thousand immigrants arrived here Thursday. C. W. Speers, inspector of immigration, says this will be the banner year for settlement and that western land will treble in value in a few years.

## Edison contributes to Monument

(Special to The Chronicle)  
Brantford, May 10.—Thomas K. Edison, the Electrical Wizard, has awarded one thousand and fifty dollars as a contribution to the Graham Bell monument fund, which is being erected in this city, to perpetuate the memory of his distinguished son.

## Stumbled Against Train

(Special to The Chronicle)  
Post Arthur, May 11.—Vivian Austin, ex-welter-weight champion of Canada, received fatal injuries here yesterday by stumbling against a long train.

## Damaged by Electrolysis

(Special to The Chronicle)  
Winnipeg, May 11.—A startling discovery has just been made regarding the action of Electrolysts on the water mains in this city. All the big mains are seriously damaged by the escaping electricity and the street car rails in the C.P.R. subways are also injured.

The subject of electrolysis affecting water mains has caused considerable comment in Eastern cities and steps have been taken to prevent the effect of escaping electricity without pipes but the damage in this city has just recently been found out.

## Miner's Union Officers On Trial For Assassination of Governor

(Special to The Chronicle)  
Boise, Idaho, May 11.—William D. Haywood, president of the Western Federation of Miners, is placed on trial for conspiracy for the murder at Caldwell, Idaho, Dec. 30, 1905, of former governor Frank Steenburg. Haywood is one of four defendants charged with the murder. The trial is to continue to the 13th.

It is alleged that Morse and the contractors do not pull well together and the financial backers of the road fear that the Hudson Bay line will injure the Transcontinental if the latter is not pushed speedily to completion.

Coming on the heels of the reported retirement of C.C. James, of the Canadian Northern, and the engagement of McGuigan by Jim Hill, it would seem that there is a general shaking up among the Big Fellows in railway circles these days.

## Former Leader Dead

(Special to The Chronicle)  
G. T. Marter, formerly leader of the Conservative party in Ontario and distinguished temperance advocate, is dead.

Mr. Marter succeeded Sir Wm. Meredith, now Chief Justice, as leader of the opposition in Ontario and resigned the office a few years ago, being succeeded by Hon. J.P. Whitney the present premier.

Mr. Marter represented Muskoka for a number of years and latter South Toronto.

He was chosen leader by the new members and was an active organizer, but was not disposed to lay aside his personal views for those of the majority.

Mr. O. Bush, of this city, sat for a number of years with the late Mr. Marter and speaks very highly of his genial disposition and sterling integrity.

## Discuss New Province

(Special to The Chronicle)  
Fort William, May 10.—The Board of Trade at its next meeting will discuss the advisability of secession from Ontario and the formation of a new province.

## Immigrants on the Way

(Special to The Chronicle)  
Winnipeg, May 11.—Over two thousand immigrants are scheduled to arrive here within the next 24 hours. They are chiefly British and Germans and are destined for points in the west.

## Inspector Cairns Here.

(Special to The Chronicle)  
Cairns arrived in the city on Thursday afternoon to look over the situation concerning which there has of late been frequent complaint.

Mr. Cairns is to make a series of visits to the inspector's office and he interviewed the city fathers in regard to the local office.

Postmaster Blain was present and answered several questions put to him in regard to the facilities at present provided for the public.

The lease of the present building expires next month, and as the owners cannot afford to pay the present rent, the Strathcona Building Association, by a vote of the members, has agreed to let the premises for the amount at present paid, and propose raising the rent in July, it was agreed.

It was also agreed that a decision must be made regarding the matter immediately.

The Department bases its allowance for rent on the revenue derived from the office and at present the sum stipulated is \$500 per annum.

It is absurd to expect to secure central and adequate premises for that amount in Strathcona.

As soon as a decision is made, the owners will be asked to ask \$780 for July 1st, and this is a very moderate figure.

As soon as a decision is made, the Department bases its allowance for rent on the office, not on the amount of money received.

The Department is not treating the legal office differently. The postmaster receives a salary of \$1,880 per annum.

He receives a commission on each box sent, and the amount varies between \$100 of \$100, and a forwarding allowance of \$30, that is for making up stage mail for rural points.

It has also been agreed that the first year, and the second year, the postmaster in a western city about the size of Strathcona that the boxes paid for the cost of their introduction the first year, and the second year, after that would be profit.

Figures referred to, except

figures regarding the boxes were brought up at Thursday's conference in the council chamber.

It was agreed that the Department is not compelled to establish the office in any place

but it is the desire to place it in a suitable location at least

so as to be easily accessible to the public.

It was also agreed that the office will be moved to some other side street after that would be profit.

Incidentally the inspector drove

around the city with President Marten, of the Board of Trade, looking

for the best locations for street letter boxes.

They decided to place them at the following corners:

Whyte Avenue and West Street,

Whyte Avenue and Gresham Avenue,

Main Street and Gresham Avenue,

Duggan Street and Gresham Avenue.

There is also one at the C. and D. depot.

The depot of the Board of Trade

suggested that the larger box

be placed there as a great many letters are posted prior to the train going out.

It was suggested that it was desirable

that the mail be deposited in the depot box, as it was

consequently it was carried to

Calgary and brought back next day.

It might also stop at this station

and if the mail having been here

at four o'clock is in a closed one,

so that letters dropped on the train

box do not go out until next morning.

After the mail has been sorted it will leave it is the wisest policy to post

all letters at the city office.

## Celebrated Golden Wedding.

(Special to The Chronicle)  
Winnipeg, May 11.—Rev. John Hogg and his wife will celebrate their Golden Wedding on Monday,

## Laurier Asked For Reconsideration

(Special to The Chronicle)

A deputation of British members of Parliament waited yesterday upon Sir Wilfrid Laurier and asked him to interest himself in the reconsideration of the abandonment of Moville as a port of call of Liverpool Mail Steamers. Sir Wilfrid promised to confer with Sir Richard Cartwright, Minister of Trade and Commerce on the matter.

## Work Progressing Favorably

(Special to The Chronicle)  
The work of dredging the Clark Dredge in Co. G's plant at White Rock Creek is progressing satisfactorily. The hull of the dredge has been put together in six days with eight men. This is a record. For instance, on a wooden hullled bucket dredge, to make the same work would take three ship carpenters three months.

Work will be begun putting up the structural work next week.

## Settlers' Dispute Settled.

(The dispute between G. Papelid and John Spy of Rabbit Hill, over the possession of a cow, was called off on Thursday afternoon.)

The two men, who are settlers from the States, shipped in their effects in the same car and Papelid paid the rent for his share, while Spy paid for his.

It was agreed that Spy should have the cow for his share until he could get another.

In regard to these it may be stated that they were put in at the postmaster's own expense and so to get rid of them he would give them to the postmaster in a western city about the size of Strathcona that the boxes paid for the cost of their introduction the first year, and the second year, after that would be profit.

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## Around the City.

\* All items of public interest will receive our attention if telephoned to No. 61.

There will be no mounted drill to the condition of the ground.

Mr. Armitage, from Agridale, is a visitor in the city. He will leave next week for British Columbia.

The Curling Club will hold a meeting to night to straighten up the year's business and arrange for next year's programme.

A report is current to-day that a brick hotel will be erected on Whyte Avenue East. The plans will be prepared and the work on the excavation proceeded with at once.

Mr. D. R. Ker, president of the Edmonton Brewing and Malting Co., who has been in this city and Edmonton for two weeks, leaves to-day for Victoria.

The funeral of the late Mr. John H. Keller will take place from the residence of his son-in-law, Mr. J. B. Christie, South Avenue, west of Dugan Street School, at 2:30 Sunday afternoon at the Strathcona cemetery.

The Star livery business on Whyte Avenue has been sold by C. J. Sharkey to F. Berube. Mr. Berube formerly owned the business and sold it about seven months ago, and on Thursday bought it back.

Mr. Byron Bishop, living about six miles east of the city, lost a very valuable grey mare yesterday. The animal ran away and got into contact with a harrow tooth, and blood poisoning set in, resulting in his death.

Elliot Bros. lost a valuable grey mare yesterday. The animal, for whom the owners had recently refused \$25, ran away, and getting her foot in the spring of a harrow tooth, and blood poisoning set in, resulting in his death.

Messrs. Hooper and Boggs have opened a real estate office in the City Block, and being both experienced, energetic young men, they are bound to succeed. They will have some attractive propositions on the market in a few days.

The Strathcona Cartage Company, of which Edward McKenzie and J. W. Blain are the proprietors is still in existence, and is to be advertised in another column.

The cartage business which recently changed hands was that of Mr. El. Wilson and W. Birne-Brown, and was called the Strathcona Transfer Company.

Frequent enquiries are made of the Chronicle as to whether or not there exists in the city a Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. Our readers are requested to let us know if there is one, and if so, to give details.

It is to be hoped that the Society will be formed, and that it will be well received by the public.

The boy Johnnie Wyley, whose absence from home caused his parents considerable uneasiness on Wednesday night and Thursday, was located Thursday night in a small town in the United States.

It is to be hoped that he will be soon home again.

An unusual atmospheric phenomenon was witnessed last night, when several flashes of lightning were seen in the midst of a heavy snow fall. The old time weather prophet was inclined to the belief that a thunder storm in winter foretold a cold winter weather, and if these signs do not fail we may look for some fine warm days very soon.

A pleasant social gathering took place in the Orange Hall when Strathcona's leading ladies treated their husbands and friends to an entertainment at progressive pedro. The accomplished hostess of the occasion was Mrs. Hill, who was assisted by several friends, about thirty were present. The first game for pedro was won by Mrs. J. G. Tipton, and the second by Mrs. George. Mr. Ed. Flavin carried off the honors for the men. During the evening refreshments were served, and a musical number rendered by Messrs. Marnatt and Dr. Lavell.





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TO AN OLD LOVER.

Catholic Standard and Times

There is silvery frost on your hair,  
oh boy,

the ares are lines on your forehead,  
too.

But your clear eyen speak of the  
peace and joy

That dwells in the heart of you.  
For the passing of youth you have

no regret,

No signs for the summer gloom  
And the lovesey moon. They are

with you yet

In the light of the lamp at home.

In your summer of youth, in that

sunny hour

That you will never again,

When you would your love, as the  
bea the flower.

The sweets that you gathered then

You have lived and stored for your  
later years.

And your heart is the honeycomb

I've seen your face when you  
kissed your wife

In the light of the lamp at home.

Oh you rare old lover! Oh, faithful  
knight!

With your sweetheart of long ago,

You are many days from the warmth  
and light.

Of the ares you used to know,

But you need not year for the gla-  
mor and gold

Of the fields you were wont to  
root and hoe.

Oh, the light of the hearts that are  
growing old

In the light of the lamp at home!

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